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and subspecies. Icteridae have added to them two subspecies. The Troglodytidae have no additions, but a species already described is more accurately defined, and the several species are rearranged and their distribution outlined. L. J.

REPORT OF THE MASSACHUSETTS AUDUBON SOCIETY, for the Protection of Birds, 234 Berkeley Street, Boston, Mass.

This active society for the protection of birds numbers 5362 members, only 1076 of whom are under sixteen years of age. From this it will be clear that the people of Massachusetts are in earnest about the protection of their native birds. Their activity is well evidenced by the annual expenditures, which run all the way from \$1,225.00 to \$1,952.00. From this report we discover no evidence that the movement is in any way an hysterical one, but rather a sober effort to accomplish a much needed reform in the popular attitude toward the birds. We are also pleased to note that in the United States outside of Massachusetts there are twenty-seven state societies endeavoring to do the same work. While the nature of our scientific work with the birds debars us from taking the ironclad Audubon pledge, we can nevertheless heartily endorse the object of the Audubon organization. L. J.

NORTH AMERICAN FAUNA, No. 22, By Edward A. Preble, Assistant Biologist, U. S. Department of Agriculture. October 31, 1902.

Among the contents of this number we find an annotated list of the birds of the Hudson Bay region. The whole number is devoted to an account of an expedition fitted out for a biological exploration of this region by the Biological Survey, in 1900. The birds listed number 260 species and subspecies, representing all that is known for the region to the close of the expedition. This indicates the richness of the region and the possibilities open to one who might spend several years on the ground. Lists of the Mammals and Batrachians are also given. L. J.

LIST OF BIRDS COLLECTED BY WILLIAM T. FOSTER IN PARAGUAY. By Harry C. Oberholser. From the Proceedings of the U. S. National Museum, Vol. XXV, pages 127-147, No. 1281.

This collection, though small, is of more than usual interest. It consists of 78 specimens, representing 65 species and subspecies, several of which appear to be heretofore unrecorded from Paraguay. The descriptions of four species and three subspecies are here given. The annotations are almost wholly descriptive of the birds. L. J.

BIRDS COLLECTED BY DR. W. L. ABBOTT AND MR. C. R. KLOSS IN THE ANDAMAN AND NICOBAR ISLANDS. By Charles W. Richmond, Assistant Curator, Division of Birds. From the Proceeding of the United States National Museum, Vol. XXV., pages 287-314, No. 1288.

Amateur Sportsman, The, Vol. XXVII, No. 1.
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